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TAGS: EFIS, TBIO, SENV, OCON, SF
SUBJ: INTERNATIONAL WHALING COMMISSION (IWC): U.S. POSITIONS -
26TH SESSION

REF: STATE 118882

1. SOUTH AFRICAN DELEGATION IWC CONSISTING OF MR. R.W. RAND
AND S. PETER BEST FROM SA BUREAU SEA FISHERIES CAPE TOWN;

ATTER HAS BEEN FOR SEVERAL DAYS IN LONDON. WE SUGGEST US DEL
IWC MAY WISH APPROACH THEM THERE ON SUBJECT OF AUTOMATIC
MORATORIUM AS OUTLINED PARA 3 REFTEL.

2. SAG DEPT. FOREIGN AFFAIRS (STEYN) SAID SAG POSITION STILL
NOT FINALLY FORMULATED PRIMARILY BECAUSE DEPUTY
SECRETARY COMMERCE HARD TO REACH. HOWEVER, DE JAGER, CHIEF
BUREAU SEA FISHERIES, HAS TENTATIVELY FORMULATED POSITION THAT
WHALING QUOTAS SHOULD BE REDUCED BUT TO LEVEL ACCEPTABLE TO
WHALING NATIONS, I.E. RUSSIA AND JAPAN. HE DID NOT HAVE EXACT
AMOUNT THIS RECOMMENDED REDUCTION BUT RECALLED FROM MEMORY
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THAT IT WAS "25-33 1/3 PERCENT LESS THAN LAST YEAR."

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3. WE LEFT NOTE OUTLINING US AUTOMATIC MORATORIUM PROPOSAL
DRAWING ON PARA 3 REFTEL AND ARE ALSO TRANSMITTING COPY TO
DE JAGER THROUGH AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN.
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